



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Re Application Of:

Examiner: Casey Shea Hagopian

Syed F.A. Hossainy

Art Unit: 1615

Serial No: 10/751,289

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For: COATING FOR IMPLANTABLE
DEVICES AND METHOD OF
FORMING THE SAME

Mail Stop: Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Dear Examiner Hagopian:

This communication is in response to the Office Action mailed on June 24, 2005.

Accompanies this response is a Petition to Extend Time to Respond for One Month from
September 24, 2005 to October 24, 2005.

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